

35-

"First, you see fixed in this huge
minor blue. Of trembling lights, a
number numberless ; Fixed, they
are named! but with a name untrue
; For they are moved ! and in a
dance express The great long Year !
that doth contain no less
Than threescore hundreds of
those years in aft, (, ' Which the
Sun makes with his course natural**

36.

" What if to you these sparks
disordered seem,
As if by chance they had been
scattered there /
The godsj a solemn measure do it
deem I
And see a just proportion
everywhere,
And "know the points, whence first
their movings we^e t
To which first points, when all
return again;
TheAxletree of Heaven shall
break in twain !"

37-

" Under thaPspangled sky, five
wandering Flames? Besides the
King of Day and Queen of Night,
Are wheeled around, all in their
sundry frames, And all,in sundry
measures do delight! Yet altogether
keep no measure right.
For by itself, each doth itself
advance I And by itself] each
doth a Galliard dance! "

38.

" VENUS (the mother of that
bastard LOVE, Which doth usurp the
world¹ s Great Marshal's name), Just
with the sun, her dainty feet doth
move ; And unto him doth all her
gestures frame ! Now after₉ now
afore, the flattering Darne, With
divers cunning passages doth err, ¹
, Still him respecting ₃ that respects
not her"